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1. The following were present:

Dr. Appleton  
Mr. Fletcher  
Lt. Col. Kiel  
Major Pratt  
Lt. Cdr. Nutt  
Major Rush  
Mr. Strickland

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Army  
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CIA (Chairman)

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3. The Committee approved the recommendation of the Chapter IX (Map and Chart Appraisal) Subcommittee that the revised FY 1951 production schedule for Chapters IX be the following:

<u>NIS Area</u>	<u>Contributions Submitted to Chapter Coordinator</u>	<u>Manuscript to D/NIS</u>
26	15 Jun 1950	Sep 1950
32	15 Nov 1950	Feb 1951

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<u>NIS Area</u>	<u>Contributions Submitted to Chapter Coordinator</u>	<u>Manuscript To D/NIS</u>
41	15 Dec 1950	Mar 1951
19	15 Jan 1951	Apr 1951
30 (to replace 14)	15 Feb 1951	Apr 1951
21	15 Mar 1951	May 1951
39	15 Mar 1951	Jun 1951
13	15 Apr 1951	Jun 1951

4. The Committee approved a State proposal that NIS 41 (Korea), Chapter IV (Sociological) be substituted for NIS 41, Chapter V (Political) in the FY 1951 production schedule.

5. The Army member raised a question on NIS Memorandum No. 11, Subject: Classification of NIS. He stated that both the recipients of the NIS and the producers of NIS in the Army were having difficulty in interpreting the provisions of this directive. As a specific example he cited a case where it was evident that the provisions of paragraph 2 of this memorandum, which applies only to the NIS in the production phases, were being applied to the published NIS which should be classified in accordance with the provisions of paragraph 3. Discussion of the matter resulted in agreement that there was need for a revision of NIS Memorandum No. 11, to clarify what appear to be ambiguities in this directive. The Chairman undertook to prepare the revision and submit it for the consideration of the Committee at the next meeting.

6. A proposed form for the quarterly report showing published NIS and NIS in process in D/NIS was submitted by the Chairman and approved by the Committee.

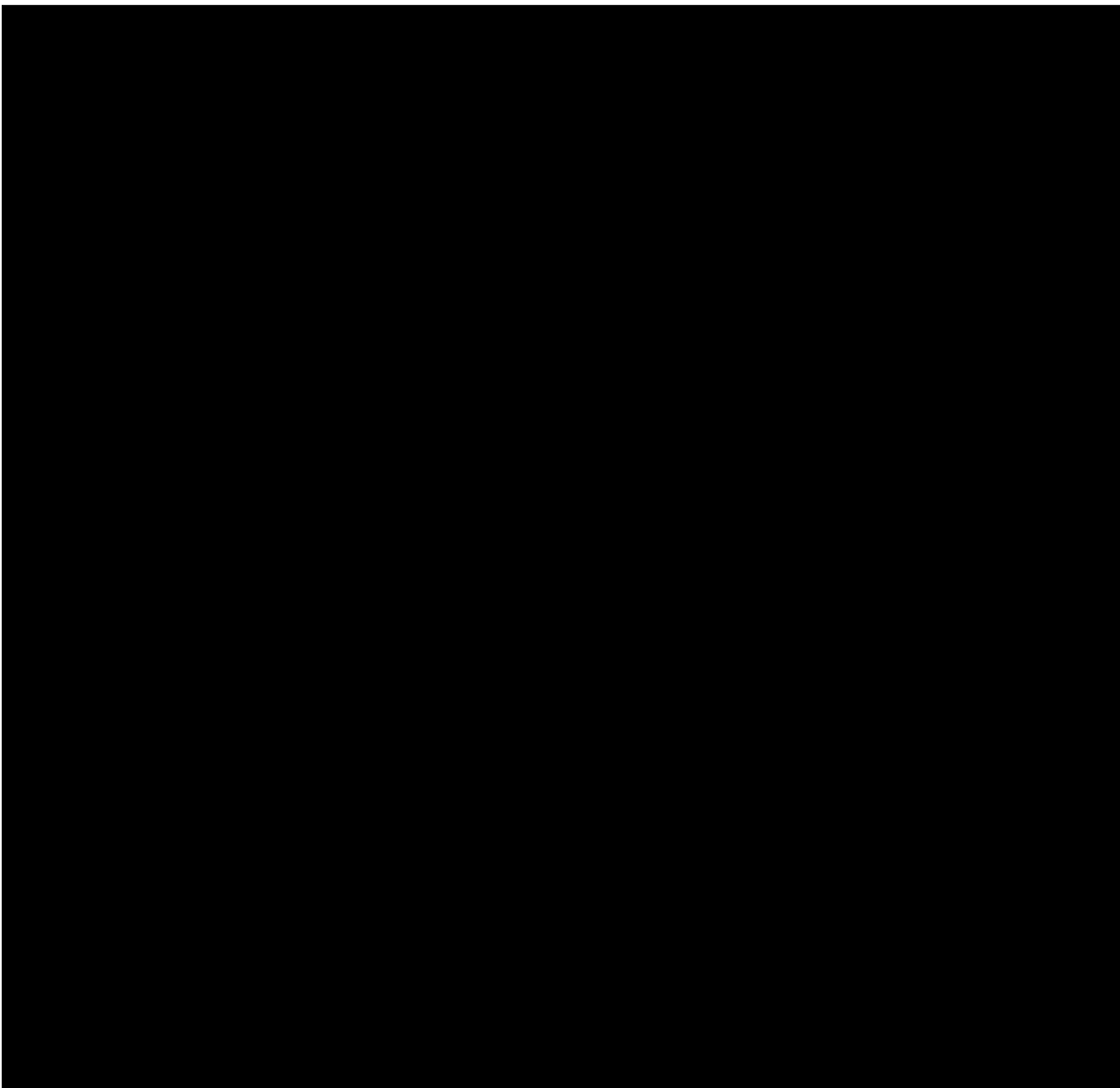
7. Copies of a proposed revision of the Outline Guide "Allocations of Production Responsibility for the Preparation of NIS" were distributed to members for consideration. This proposed revision is to be studied and brought up for adoption or further revision at the next meeting. The Chairman announced that allocations for Chapter VII were tentative, and subject to such changes as might be recommended by the Chapter Coordinator for Chapter VII for consideration of the Committee at the next meeting.

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9. The Chairman asked the Navy member to check on progress being made on the Navy program for improvement of the Coast and Landing Beach strip maps, and report at the next meeting.

10. The Chairman announced that a study had been made with respect to the quality of the maps and other graphic material which had been received

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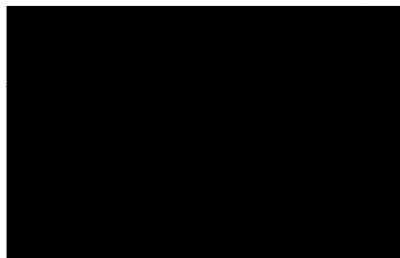
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in D/NIS in the NIS contributions from the agencies. The results of this study will be made known to the members in the near future.

11. The next meeting was scheduled for 1000 hours, Tuesday, 3 October 1950, at CIA.

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